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10. The method of claim 2, wherein the inhibitor is a compound of Formula (D) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:

wherein:

 $L_a$  is O or S;

Ar is an unsubstituted phenyl;

Y is a 4-, 5-, 6-, or 7-membered cycloalkyl ring, or

Y is azetidinyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, or azepanyl;

Z is 
$$C(=O)$$
,  $OC(=O)$ ,  $NHC(=O)$ ,  $S(=O)_x$ , or  $NHS$   $(=O)_x$ , where x is 2;

 $R_8$  is H;  $R_7$  is H; or

R<sub>7</sub> and R<sub>8</sub> taken together form a bond; and

R<sub>e</sub> is H

- 11. The method of claim 1, wherein  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  are each independently H.
- 12. The method of claim 1, wherein  $R_1$  is a substituted phenyl.
- 13. The method of claim 1, wherein  $R_4$  is  $L_3$ -X- $L_4$ -G wherein  $L_3$ , X and  $L_4$  taken together form a nitrogen contain- 45 ing heterocyclic ring.
  - 14. The method of claim 1, wherein G is

or

15. The method of claim 1, wherein  $R_6, R_7, \mbox{ and } R_8$  are each independently  $\mbox{H}.$ 

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16. The method of claim 1, wherein the compound has the structure

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

17. A method for treating a blood cell cancer comprising administering to a subject in need thereof a composition containing a therapeutically effective amount of an inhibitor of a tyrosine kinase, wherein the tyrosine kinase is interleukin-2-inducible tyrosine kinase (ITK) or Bruton's tyrosine kinase, wherein the inhibitor has the structure

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

- 18. The method of claim 17, wherein the blood cell cancer is a mast cell malignancy.
- 19. The method of claim 18, wherein the blood cell cancer is a lymphoma.
- 20. The method of claim 19, wherein the lymphoma is diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, follicular lymphoma, lymphoplasmacytic lymphoma/Waldenström macroglobulinemia, splenic marginal zone lymphoma, extranodal marginal zone B cell lymphoma, nodal marginal zone B cell lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, mediastinal (thymic) large B cell lymphoma, intravascular large B cell lymphoma, or primary effusion lymphoma.
  - 21. The method of claim 1, wherein the blood cell cancer is a leukemia.
  - **22**. The method of claim **21**, wherein the leukemia is chronic lymphocytic leukemia.

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